

THE FALCON FLYER

October 19, 2009



Dear Floral Street Families,

Tonight is the annual reception for teachers in Shrewsbury who have achieved Professional Status as a result of three years of exemplary service in the Shrewsbury Schools. The begins for our teachers, in a way, with our hiring process, a rigorous process where candidates first encounter the level of high expectations we have for our professionals in this district. It continues over the course of years in an evaluation process that asks teachers to demonstrate their expertise in teaching and a set of core values that supports their students and our school. This year, we are proud that **Mrs. Erin Goulding** has achieved professional status, and she will be honored at tonight's reception. Congratulations to her and other educators across the district on this milestone.

Todd Curtis
Principal

Lisa McCubrey
Assistant Principal

Important Notes:

Shrewsbury Special Education Parent Advisory Council Meeting

Date: October 21, 2009 - Wednesday

Place: Oak Middle School

Time: 7:00 - 9:00 PM

Attention all parents that have students with an IEP. Please join us for an informal meeting to meet and greet fellow parents and share ideas. The Shrewsbury SPEDPAC wants to hear from you! Light refreshments will be served.

PTO News

Our first PTO general meeting will take place on Tuesday, October 27 at Floral Street School. Our school nurses will join us and the topics will be **allergies and flu season**. Please join us at 7:00 pm.

Parents, our Otis Spunkmeyer and Armeno Coffee Fundraisers start today and end on Monday, November 2nd. Otis Spunkmeyer are pre-formed cookies for easy baking with 36 delicious cookies per tub. You make keep them frozen for up to twelve months. All cookies contain zero grams of trans fat. Armeno coffee is a local brew house in Northborough that hand crafts small batches of the finest single origin Arabica coffees in the world. They carefully select only mid-crop picked beans from farms in more than 25 countries. Order forms and detail information are coming home today in the Monday Folders. For questions, please contact Patti Wolohan wolohan5@townisp.com, Kim Wackell wackell@townisp.com or Brenda Buckley plrkbuckley@townisp.com. Thank you for your support.

The Shrewsbury High School Girls Ice Hockey Club

They will be holding their second electronics recycling fundraiser in the upper parking lot at the high school on Saturday, November 7th from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm. The goal is to reclaim or recycle unwanted electronic components and home appliances. Items will be disposed of in an ecologically responsible manner by a certified recycling company. Tax deductible fees ranging from \$0.50 to \$100 per item will be charged for items dropped off.

The Elementary Lunch Menu can be found at any time at:

<http://schools.shrewsbury-ma.gov/departments/division.php?fDD=20-17>

Important Fall Dates:

October 27	General PTO Meeting, 7:00 p.m.
November 3	Parent Conferences (No School)
November 9	Fourth Grade Fall Concert (Bisceglia, Largess, Spangenberg) 6:30 p.m.
November 9	Fourth Grade Fall Concert (Borraccino, Edgren, Richard) 7:30 p.m.
November 10	Fourth Grade Fall Concert (Beall, Morgan, Ross) 6:30 p.m.
November 11	No School – Veterans’ Day
November 25-27	No School – Thanksgiving Vacation
December 24-January 4	No School – Winter Vacation